



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In/re the Application of:

SHIRAKI et al

Serial No.: 09/462,755

Filed: January 14, 2000

For: REINFORCING MATERIAL, METHOD )  
OF PRODUCTION THEREOF, )  
REINFORCING/REPAIRING METHOD )  
USING THE REINFORCING MATERIAL, )  
REINFORCING/REPAIRING )  
STRUCTURE AND STRUCTURAL )  
ELEMENT )

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) Examiner: J. Gray  
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) Group Art Unit: 1774

## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF FEBRUARY 20, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the office action of February 20, 2002, please amend the captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please rewrite claim 112 as follows:

112. (Amended) A method for reinforcing/repairing a construction as claimed in claim 111 wherein the construction is made from one or more materials selected from the group consisting of

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